

**IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE DISTRICT OF NEBRASKA**

<b>UNITED STATES OF AMERICA,</b>	)	
	)	<b>8:09CR226</b>
<b>Plaintiff,</b>	)	
	)	
<b>vs.</b>	)	<b>ORDER</b>
	)	
<b>LUIS FERNANDO RUIZ-JIMENEZ,</b>	)	
	)	
<b>Defendant.</b>	)	

This matter is before the court on the motion of Assistant Federal Public Defender Jeffrey L. Thomas and the Office of the Federal Public Defender to withdraw as counsel for the defendant, Luis Fernando Ruiz-Jimenez (Ruiz-Jimenez) (Filing No. 13). Mr. Thomas represents he has a conflict of interest in this matter. Mr. Thomas's and the Office of the Federal Public Defender's motion to withdraw (Filing No. 13) is granted. Michael J. Tasset, P.O. Box 62, Oakland, NE 68045-0062, (402) 685-5647, is appointed to represent Ruiz-Jimenez for the balance of these proceedings pursuant to the Criminal Justice Act. Mr. Thomas shall forthwith provide Mr. Tasset with the discovery materials provided the defendant by the government and such other materials obtained by Mr. Thomas which are material to Ruiz-Jimenez's defense.

The clerk shall provide a copy of this order to Mr. Tasset, and he shall file his appearance forthwith.

**IT IS SO ORDERED.**

DATED this 8th day of July, 2009.

BY THE COURT:

s/Thomas D. Thalken  
United States Magistrate Judge